SP 3.4 – Personal Conflicts of Interest

Substantive changes made for the 3-29-06 version:

- 1. Provides a clearer and expanded statement of policy relative to prohibitions to making or participating in decisions relating to award, negotiation, or administration subcontracts.
- 2. Updates definition of a "near relative" to include a domestic partner of a University employee or a relative of the domestic partner.
- 3. Deletes definition for the Conflict of Interest Coordinator since it is not necessary for the purposes of this SP
- 4. Provides improved definition for employee-vendor relationship.
- 5. Provides electronic link to UC's *Conflict of Interest Code* where more detail can be found relative to when an employee has a financial interest in a Laboratory decision.
- 6. Adds definitions for "Former Employee" and "Responsible Official".
- 7. Expands procedural guidance detailing prohibitions relating to employees or near relatives and former employees.
- 8. Provides enhanced guidance on offeror certification of employee-vendor relationships.
- 9. Deletes procedural guidance on sole source subcontracts since the same guidance must be followed whether a procurement is competitive or sole source.
- 10. Adds responsibilities of the Procurement Manager.
- 11. Updates References to include Chapter 2.20 Outside Employment and Employee Business Activities of the Laboratory Regulations and Procedures Manual (RPM).
- 12. Updates Exhibit 3.4a to reflect changes effected in the basic SP as discussed above.